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Ten Cents a Week

RUSSIA TO FIGHT ALL FOES

Bolsheviki Takes Radical Action to Strengthen All Battle Lines.

All Who Don't Value an Ideal to be Sent Home.

(By Associated Press Cable)
London, January 7. — The Bolsheviks are definitely strengthening the front, Petrograd advises say.
The correspondent of the Daily News obtained this information from M. Radek, one of the Russian delegates who took a prominent part in the negotiations with the Austro-Germans at Petrograd.
He said the Bolsheviks were intending to send home all who did not wish to fight so that they would have an army which was willing to fight for an ideal.

SERVICE LAW IS HELD O. K. BY THE COURT

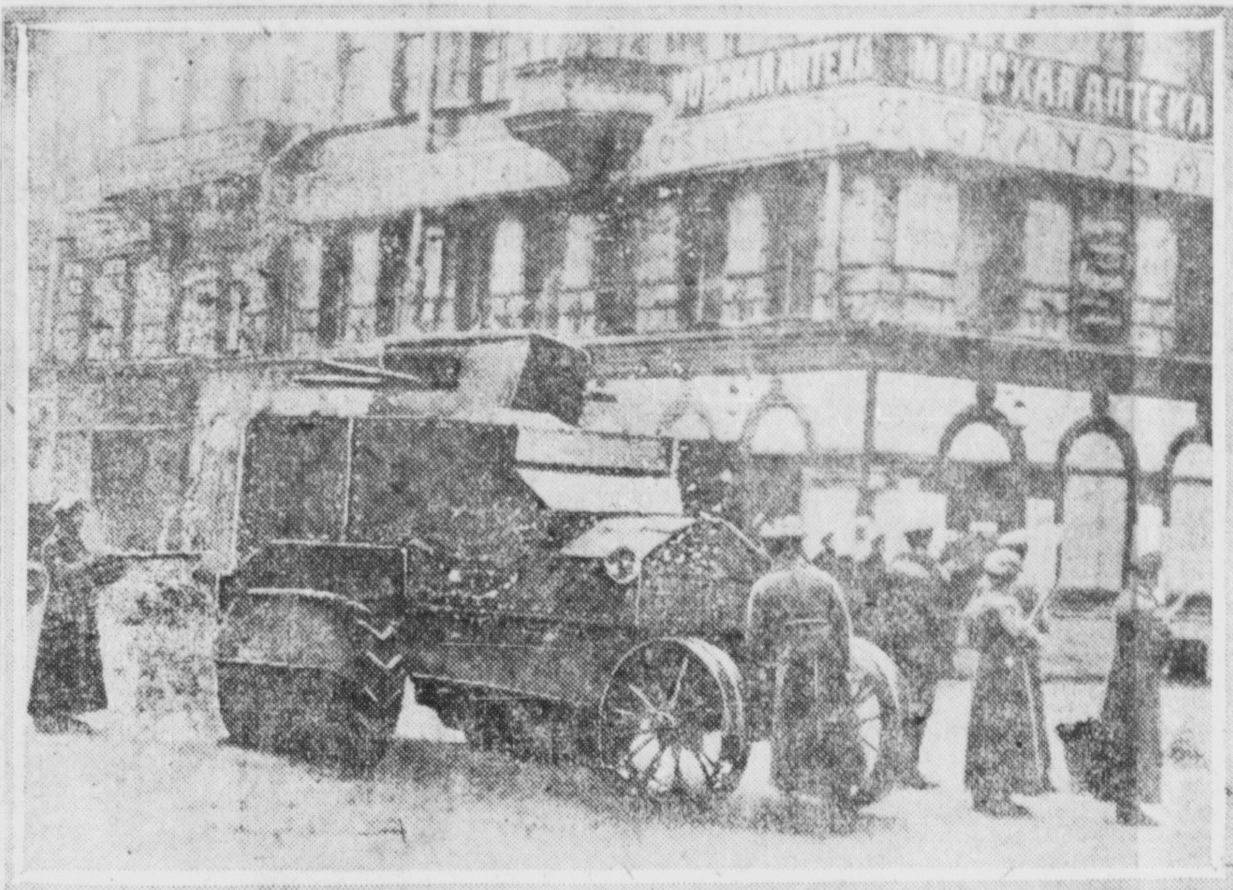
In All Its Features Supreme Court Approves Army Law.

(By Associated Press Dispatch.)
Washington, January 7. — The selective service act was today upheld as constitutional by the Supreme Court.
The government's contention that the power given Congress to declare war includes power to compel citizens to render military service at home and abroad was sustained by the Court.
Chief Justice White declared that after considering the various contentions the conclusion had been reached that most of them were imaginary rather than real.
The decision resulted from the appeals of 13 cases growing out of conviction under the selective service act.
Three of the cases were from Ohio, being Chas. E. Ruthenberg, Albert Wagenbuech and Chas. Baker, who were convicted in the Ohio Federal District Court on a charge of inducing A. J. Shue not to register.
Shue was sentenced to one year imprisonment in the Stark county workhouse at Canton.

SMITH IS CHOSEN TO DO STEERING SUCCEED NEWLAND

(By Associated Press Dispatch.)
Washington, January 7. — Senator Smith, of South Carolina, was chosen today by the Senate Democratic steering committee to be chairman of the Inter-State Commerce Committee, succeeding the late Senator Newlands. He will have charge of the Administration Railroad legislation in the Senate.
Friends of Senator Pomerene of Ohio were understood to have claimed the chairmanship for him, because of his seniority.
The committee, however, chose Senator Smith virtually unanimously.

ARMORED CAR USED BY BOLSHEVIKI



BOLSHEVIKI ARMORED CAR.

This armored car was used by the Bolshevik soldiers during the recent fighting when Premier Kerensky's Government was overthrown. The photo shows the soldiers on guard in the street, awaiting an attack from a side street.

CHICAGO IS DIGGING OUT OF THE SNOW

Worst Blizzard in Years Has Cut Off the Windy City for Hours.

Days May Elapse 'Ere City Again Resumes Her Normal Business Traffic.

(By Associated Press Dispatch.)
Chicago, January 7. — Chicago began today to dig itself out of the snow drifts after one of the worst blizzards in its history. The wind which blew from 40 to 60 miles per hour for 24 hours abated at two o'clock this morning, leaving great drifts and fields of snow.

Everywhere were evidences of the storm. With abatement of the wind snow plows on streets and railroads had a chance to do effective work, but so great was the snowfall that with labor short it was predicted that days must elapse before the streets are in normal condition.

SMITH'S CAPTORS DEMAND \$1,000 POLICE ARE BUSY

(By Associated Press Dispatch.)
Cleveland, O., January 7. — Kidnappers demanding \$1,000 ransom for the release of Frank E. Smith, missing auto dealer, was the object of a search today by police.

That Smith was being held captive was indicated when police said a letter had been received by the missing man's wife Saturday night demanding that she bring \$1,000 to a point on an interurban line at one o'clock Sunday morning. The letter was signed "The Gang."

Three officers lay in ambush for several hours at the appointed spot, but nobody appeared.

Smith disappeared last Thursday night while on his way from Geneva to Cleveland.

WILL REPLACE SPRING-RICE AT WASHINGTON



EARL READING.

Earl Reading, Lord Chief Justice of England, will replace Sir Cecil Spring-Rice as Ambassador at Washington. Spring-Rice will soon leave for England and, according to reports will not return to his post at Washington.

BEGIN WORK OF FINANCING THE RAILROADS

First Step Taken When Estimates Are Asked by Telegraph.

The Plan So Far Is Only Tentative.

(By Associated Press Dispatch.)
Washington, January 7. — As the first step in government assistance of railroad financing Presidents of railroads were requested by Inter-State Commerce Commissioner Daniels today to telegraph him immediately the amount of capital required for this year, and also for the next six months of the year.

This action was taken at the direction of Secretary McAdoo. A definite statement also is sought as to the character of securities which each company had planned to issue. The railroad administration's financial plans have included the purchasing of a government fund of securities to be issued by railroads under government operation. This plan is only tentative.

TOLEDO GIVEN SHAKING UP BY EXPLOSION

Four Hundred Quarts of Nitroglycerine Let Go Near Bowling Green This Morning.

(By Associated Press Dispatch.)
Toledo, O., January 7. — With a roar that shook houses 30 miles distant, 400 quarts of nitroglycerine stored in a magazine of the American Glycerine Company, 3 miles south of Bowling Green, exploded at five o'clock this morning.
Glass in farm houses several miles away was shattered, but so far as known no one was killed or injured.

MASS SAID

(By Associated Press Cable)
With the American Army in France, January 6. — Masses for both American and French dead were held in the churches of France today, on the occasion of the annual celebration of the birthday of Joan of Arc.

COX APPEALS TO M'ADOO

(By Associated Press Dispatch.)
Columbus, O., January 7. — Governor Cox today appealed direct to Secretary McAdoo to send a representative to Ohio to study the car shortage and devise some plan by which the situation especially relating to coal can be relieved.
In declaring that many miners in southern Ohio are on the verge of starvation, he cited an instance of one mine which has worked but five days during the past month, because cars were not available. He declared the case is typical.

SHIP TORPEDOED

(By Associated Press Dispatch.)
New York, January 7. — The American steamship Harry Luckenbach has been torpedoed and sunk with loss of life, according to word received by the owners of the vessel today.

GERMANY WILL NOT AGREE TO TRANSFER

Russ Efforts to Procure Renewal of Peace Parley at Stockholm Fail.

Crown Council Claims Entente Influence Too Strong.

Political Situation in Germany Is Much Disturbed Over the Outcome.

(By Associated Press Dispatch.)
Russian efforts to have Germany acquiesce in the transfer of the negotiations from Brest-Litovsk in German control, to the neutral city of Stockholm, apparently have failed.

An official statement from Berlin says that the German crown council meeting discussed the Russian demand, after which it was announced the sittings had been temporarily suspended.

It is reported from German sources that intrigue in Stockholm on the part of the Entente interests would endanger the work of the delegates.

In Germany the political situation is much disturbed over the attitude of the Liberal parties concerning the government's stand on the proposed transfer. The Socialists appear the stumbling block and there is danger that they may desert the Reichstag majority, making it necessary for the government to form the party alignment.

BRITISH LOSS FOR THE WEEK

Sharp Fighting About Cambrai New Year's Day Given as Reason for Increase.

(Associated Press Cable)
London, January 7. — British casualties reported during the week ending today totaled 18,998, divided as follows:

Officers killed, 113; men, 3,832; officers wounded and missing, 448; men, 14,605—for the virtual doubling of British casualties over the previous week the sharp fighting just before New Year's day on the Cambrai front may have been responsible.

WILL CORRAL BINDER TWINE

Food Administration Looks Out for Farmer for Coming Harvest.

(By Associated Press Dispatch.)
Washington, January 7. — The Food Administrator has arranged to control during 1918 the supply of binder twine, so important to farmers. Reasonable prices though not so low as formerly, are expected.

MAY RESIGN POST



ROMULO S. NAON.

Senor Romulo S. Naon, Argentine Ambassador to the United States, is reported to have requested President Irigoyen by telegraph to accept his resignation. According to a report from Washington Ambassador Naon offered his resignation as a protest against the continuing neutrality of his government.

PRICES CLIMB OUT OF REACH OF BERLINERS

(By Associated Press Dispatch.)
Washington, January 7. — Butter is selling in Berlin at \$2.25 a pound; sugar at 56 cents a pound; ham and bacon at \$2.11 a pound and American soap at five bars for \$1.12.

This information has been received by the food administration. The prices are from four to five times as high as those now prevailing in the United States.

WEEK END PASSES REFUSED TO BOYS

(By Associated Press Dispatch.)
Chillicothe, O., January 7. — Orders were issued here today that no more week-end passes would be issued until the present epidemic of measles has abated.

Passes will be issued, however, for men for freedom of the camp and for trips to Chillicothe, but none where the men are to board trains or other vehicles.

At the present time there are about 1400 cases of measles in the hospital.

FRAME-UP CLAIM

(By Associated Press Dispatch.)
Wauseon, O., January 7. — Investigation of statements and conduct of some of the witnesses who testified last week in the Fred Lehman murder trial began today by a special Fulton county grand jury.

After Lehman was convicted of the murder of his wife, attorneys for the defense asserted some of the evidence had been framed up and filed a motion for a new trial.

BITING WINDS HEAVY SNOW NO DETERRENT TO SELECTS

Camp Sherman Boys Hike 11 Miles Through Wintry Gales to Rifle Range.

Number of Men Have Been Sent to Wisconsin for Training in the Ordnance Department.

Building Purchased for a Down Town Soldiers' Club.

Little Attention Is Paid to the Storm by Husky Boys.

(By Associated Press Dispatch.)
Chillicothe, O., January 7. — While the snow whipped by a biting wind, is falling today, Ohio selects are busily engaged in various branches of training.

A large number hiked 11 miles to the rifle range and others to the artillery range, while a goodly number are at work in the trenches "somewhere in Ross County."

The bulk of the men at camp are having bayonet drill and special instructions with the aid of moving pictures. The drill grounds have busy companies scattered about and apparently little attention is being given the storm by the seasoned men at the camp.

Announcement was made today that the Wissler building, corner Paint and Water streets, has been leased and will be converted into a downtown Soldiers' Club House, with a restaurant in connection, and to be opened in the near future.

A number of men have been sent to Wisconsin for training in the ordnance department; 180 have been sent to Camp Vail, Silver Lake, N. J., for training in the United States Signal Corps, and 180 go to El Paso for special training.

READING WILL COME TO U. S. AS MINISTER

Lord Chief Justice of England Will Have Charge of War Matters.

Diplomatic Matters to be Left to Charge d'Affairs.

(By Associated Press Cable)
London, January 7. — Earl Reading, Lord Chief Justice, will go to the United States as direct representative of the British War Cabinet, according to the Daily Express. While he will have the title of Ambassador, purely diplomatic matters will be in the hands of a charge d'affaires.

The appointment of Reading as Ambassador is primarily for war purposes, and means that Lord Northcliffe will not return to the United States as head of the permanent British mission.

Lord Northcliffe will continue the acting director in England of the American mission offices.

Stutson's January Clearance Sales

Commence Next Thursday, Jan. 10

Watch for the Items and Prices : : : To Appear In This Paper

CARRYING WOOD TAKES MUCH TIME OF FAYETTE BOYS

Continuation of Diary of Captain O. E. Hardway Up to December 11 Shows Intention of Moving to New Village—French Women Not Averse to Gossiping

Another installment of the interesting Diary of Captain O. E. Hardway kept since he sailed from New York, and published in The Herald, is here with presented to Herald readers, and indicates that the troops were soon to move to another camp.

The Diary continues: Saturday, December 8.—Nothing of interest today. Usual clean-up day. A part of the officers went hunting for wild boar, but came back without having seen any. Find that we are expected to change station within the next few days. Am not at liberty to write just where I have been told we were going for training. Have done very little of it yet. Keeps us most of the time getting wood etc.

Sunday, December 9th.—Got up late; intended to attend church but had something come up that prevented it. Lt. Hamlin and Lt. Early went to get wood. The people were all dressed up again today, it being Sunday.

Had dinner at 1 p. m. Early and Hamlin went over to visit Machine



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Come In.

Delbert C. Hays

Gun Co. officers, and got back at supper time. Had two wagons report to us this date. They were from the artillery, and are to be with us while we march, hauling our baggage.

Belhorn, Early and myself were ordered over to consult with Samson in regard to the march. Met a French captain over at the other station who is assigned to our outfit as an instructor. He has heavy beard, as most of them seem to have. Have never seen a Frenchman without a mustache. He seemed to be very bright, and talked English very well.

Don't see how I ever will be able to speak French, as I seem to find so little time to devote to it. We intended to take lessons, but have never got started. Early was too tired to go over this evening as he and Hamlin had a good long walk this afternoon.

Monday, December 10th.—Got the men started for wood early this a. m. Sending the wagons out later after the men, to haul in the wood. Early left this morning and we miss him very much. We enjoyed him very much as he was young, full of fun, also work.

He seems to take a pleasure in everything he does. However, he will only be gone for a few days, as he is going to prepare some billets for us. A better man could not have been selected.

He went with the French captain and an interpreter. Went over to see Samson again this afternoon. Got a schedule for training. Looks like it might take a long time to get it, considering the weather conditions and everything. One thing you have plenty to do and are not lonesome. Met an officer who says that the trenches are not half as bad as they are made out to be. Suppose that it is just like everything else, most of it newspaper talk. The boys are all sitting around the fire talking and it is hard to write. Davis, Belhorn, Lambert, Hamlin, LeVan and McLeod are all here so it is not a bit lonesome. Have a good fireplace and they all get the benefit of it, as it saves wood. We have to be careful of our wood. The forests are carefully preserved and every little twig is saved. A man is kept in the forest at all times and every tree is marked that is not intended to be cut.

Had the mayor's son-in-law for dinner today. I have long talks with him frequently through the interpreter. He seems greatly interested in us, and as he is a farmer and seems to be the most prosperous, he naturally is well posted. He has served in the army over here three years and has been released on account of his age and on account of being a farmer. He enjoyed our dinner very much. Lt. LeVan can speak French fairly well and he talked for all of us. He is a great fellow for fun. A Frenchman talks as much with his hands and shoulders as he does with his tongue. All the people seem to regret we are going to leave this place. It is just like any small village back in the U. S. Everyone knows everybody else's business. The old women get together and gossip just like they do back home.

ILLINOIS CAMPFIRE GIRLS ARE BUSY

There are 94,000 Campfire Girls in the state of Illinois, and the new war program which they have recently issued has had the approval of President Wilson. The girls have achieved important practical results in knitting woolen comforts for the soldiers, the wool having been supplied mainly by the Red Cross, and the finished garments returned to that source.

The Campfire Girls of Chicago have contributed between \$800 and \$1,000 for Red Cross work within recent months. The Chicago girls are divided into three groups, and each group is caring for a Belgian family for five years.

NEW COUNCIL WILL ORGANIZE TONIGHT

The new city council will hold its first session tonight at 7:30 and be sworn in and organize for the coming two years' business.

It is expected that little business will be transacted tonight outside of the usual appointment of committees and routine business usual at the first session of a new council.

President of Council Al Melvin, who was president of the city solons during the administration of Mayor Coffey, will wield the gavel.

FISH AND GAME MEETING TONIGHT

An important session of the Fayette County Fish and Game Protective Association will be held tonight at 7:30 at the Probate Judge's office, and the election of officers will take place and the award of prizes will be made.

ASKS JUDGMENT

The Fayette Sand & Gravel Co., Washington C. H., through Attorneys Post & Reid, have filed a petition in Ross county common pleas court against O. M. Junk of Chillicothe, asking judgment in the sum of \$1603.25 with interest from August, 1917, for gravel delivered to the defendant by plaintiff.—Frankfort Sun.

W. H. M. S. MEETING.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society of Grace church will be held in the parlors of the church on Wednesday, January 9th, at 2:30 p. m. A large attendance is desired as it is to be the annual Thank Offering meeting and each member is requested to bring a visitor. The assisting hostesses are Mesdames Ireland, Sollars, Townsley, Cockerill, H. Ireland, I. N. Rowe, Miss Gossard.

MRS. WM. McCLAIN, Cor. Secy.

BIBLE CLASS MEETING.

Bible class meeting of Washington Avenue Bible Class at the home of Mrs. Ola Boyer, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

A Classified will sell it for you.

OHIO NEWS

(By Associated Press)

No Fuel; Services Suspended. Bellefontaine, O., Jan. 7.—With the schools already closed until Jan. 21 because of no fuel, the churches of the city voted, at the request of the county fuel committee, to discontinue all but Sunday morning services to save coal.

Mother Lives at Lima.

Lima, O., Jan. 7.—Ralph Snovel, traveling auditor of the Southern Pacific of Mexico, who died at Empalme, Mex., of wounds received in the raid of the Yaquis on a Southern Pacific of Mexico train, was a Lima man. His mother, Mrs. H. W. Pears, lives here.

College Head Removed.

Cleveland, Jan. 7.—Dr. Arthur L. Breslich, president of Baldwin-Wallace college, Berea, has been "relieved of all relation to the institution" by a committee which investigated charges of pro-German activities on the part of members of the faculty.

Famous Soprano Soloist.

Toledo, Jan. 7.—Mrs. Agnes Kimball Affleck, wife of Edward T. Affleck, local manufacturer, died suddenly at her home. Before her marriage, four years ago, Agnes Kimball was soprano soloist in Dr. Henry Van Dyke's brick Presbyterian church, New York. She also toured with famous orchestras and quartets.

Young Man Slain by Footpads.

Columbus, Jan. 7.—From a bullet wound inflicted by one of three negro highwaymen who terrorized the central portion of the city and who shot at their victims, Lawrence Smith Thacker, 19, orphan, died at Protestant hospital. Two suspects are held by the police. Young Thacker was to have been married in March.

Rationing of Sugar.

Findlay, O., Jan. 7.—Findlay merchants issued 10,000 sugar cards, entitling each family in this city to two pounds of sugar for each member of the family monthly. No sugar is to be sold until the purchaser presents his card, which is punched. It is thought this will prevent the hoarding of sugar and also furnish every family with its needs.

Lehman Seeks Change of Venue.

Waukegan, O., Jan. 7.—Requesting a change of venue and asserting that they have discovered much new and important testimony, attorneys for Frederick Lehman, convicted of the murder of his young wife, filed a motion for a new trial in Fulton county common pleas court. For the first time since his conviction Lehman broke down in jail and wept bitterly when visited by his aged parents.

Lost Boy Found.

Cleveland, Jan. 7.—Lost for three years within a few miles of his parents' home is the experience of John Cercek, 16, who was discovered by police officers. The boy ran away from home when 13 years old and had been in the employ of a horse dealer. Police in an investigation found that the boy's parents have moved to a farm in the Buritas Springs road, not far from West Park, where the boy has been employed.

DESCRIBES ATTACK IN CAMBRAI SMASH

(Associated Press Correspondence)

Berne, Switzerland, December 28.—Describing the battle of Cambrai to German readers, Lieutenant-General Von Ardenne in the Tageblatt, says: "Those who fought in the battle describe the imposing impression made by the British tanks which preceded the attack on the widest front. As they advanced in masses, with very little intervals between them, they reminded one of Hannibal's battle elephants or the sickle chariots of Pharaoh."

"The booming, rumbling attack was accompanied or rather supported from

the air by a veritable cloud of battle aircraft, while closely pressed masses of infantry and field artillery followed the iron wall, three cavalry divisions bringing up the rear."

STUDENTS OPPOSE WEARING UNIFORMS

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 7.—Against 26 students who registered their willingness to purchase military uniforms, 117 men students at the University of Cincinnati voted against the plan, it has been announced. In all, 153 students voted. Reasons for their votes were attached to their ballots.

Many asserted financial inability to buy the uniforms, others a disinclination to work a hardship on poorer students, and a few voiced a dislike to donning a uniform so like that of a real soldier while not yet giving their services to their country.

The vote will be analyzed and tabulated as to classes by Dean Frank Chandler, who will then submit the results to President Dabney. "My feeling in the matter is not changed," said Dr. Dabney. "I believe that when these students learn that 390 out of 400 students in the engineering college already have ordered uniforms, they will want to do so also. But I have not yet discussed the vote with other members of the faculty."

RAISING THE TAXES IN NEW ZEALAND

(Associated Press Correspondence)

Auckland, New Zealand, December 28.—New Zealand has taken the first step toward compulsory lending. A bill which has passed the House of Representatives provides that persons with taxable incomes of \$3,500 and more must subscribe to the War Loan three times the total amount which they pay in land tax and income tax. There are also provisions for penalizing persons who had not subscribed to the previous war loan.

TO FACILITATE FOOD INVENTORY

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Cleveland, O., January 7.—To facilitate the taking of the national inventory of foods in this city and county the bureau of markets of the United States Department of Agriculture, which has the war emergency food survey in charge, has placed agencies of the survey with its two offices here.

The federal agents point out that every dealer in and manufacturer of food or food materials must fill out a schedule and mail it to the chief of the bureau of markets, Washington, by January 10.

COUNTY CANNOT PAY THE SHERIFF'S BILL

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Columbus, O., January 7.—County commissioners cannot pay hire for a machine owned by a sheriff and used by the sheriff in his duties, according to a ruling by the attorney general's office. It recently was held that commissioners could hire a surveyor's machine where he used it in county business, but the law does not apply where the sheriff is concerned.

There is provision in the state law, ever, by which the commissioners may make an allowance to the sheriff for actual expenses of using his own automobile for county business.

Faces Serious Charge.

Columbus, Jan. 7.—On a charge of having embezzled \$2,600 from her former employer, Dr. James M. Reector, Miss Mary McIntyre, 26, formerly his secretary and until last month a student of medicine at Ohio State university, was placed under arrest.

GLAD TO FIND TANLAC SOLD IN NEW HOME

Tried Tanlac in Georgia and Says it Built Her Right Up So that She Gained Ten Pounds.

"I was mighty glad when I moved to Cincinnati to learn that Tanlac was sold in my new home because I wouldn't be without this medicine," said Mrs. J. P. Paris, 420 West Eighth street, Cincinnati.

"It was in Atlanta, Ga., that I first heard of Tanlac. I had tried medicine after medicine without being helped. Then I took Tanlac and after that I seemed to get a new grip on life.

"I was weakened and run down before I took Tanlac. I was so nervous that my body twitched all over and I slept poorly at night and got little rest.

"My appetite was poor, too. Why, I didn't even eat enough to nourish my body properly.

"I had pains in my arms and limbs almost all the time and the pains under my shoulder blades were almost more than I could stand.

"My appetite got better right away after I started taking Tanlac. I've gained ten pounds now and I'm still gaining.

"My nerves are back in good shape again now, too, and I sleep fine nights and get up in mornings feeling good. "I certainly do recommend Tanlac. If people who feel like I used to will just try one bottle of Tanlac I'm sure they'll be convinced.

If you are not feeling right get Tanlac today at Blackmer & Tanquary's drug store, Frank Christopher's drug store, or C. S. Haver's drug store.—Adv.

HAD THE GRIP THREE WEEKS.

With January comes lagrippe. Lingering colds seem to settle in the system, causing one to ache all over, feel feverish and chilly, tired, heavy and drooping. Mrs. Lizzie Tyles, Henderson, Ky., writes: "My daughter had lagrippe for three weeks. I gave her Foley's Honey and Tar and now she is all right." Blackmer & Tanquary.—Adv.

Boost Washington; buy at home.

AMERICAN TROOPS ARE PHOTOGRAPHED

(Associated Press Correspondence)

Amsterdam, December 30.—A handful of captured American soldiers under cross-questioning by German officers before a crowd of grinning Teutons was featured in the latest issue of "World in Pictures," an illustrated weekly printed in ten languages and distributed throughout the world by the German government's propaganda department. Another picture shows the prisoners riding in a motor lorry under heavy guard.

This entitled "American prisoners arriving in the German lines," giving the impression that the twelve are, only a small section of a large number.

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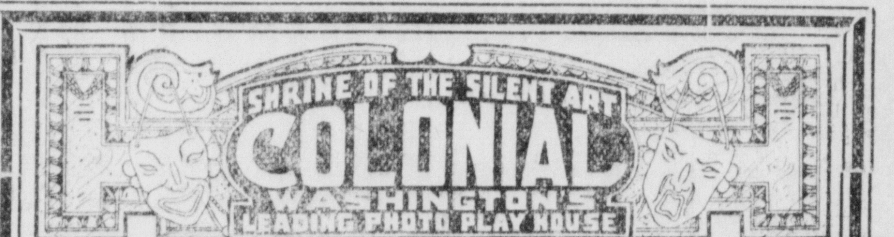
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CHRISTOPHER DRUGS That's My Business

IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Mr. W. M. Campbell and daughter Miss Virginia entertained with an informal dinner of beautiful appointments, Saturday evening in honor of Miss Campbell's house guest, Miss Ruth Vanness, of Detroit, Michigan.

A merry "bob-sled" ride followed the dinner.

The guests were: Misses Mary and Nina Dahl; Lieut. Coll. Messrs A. F. Kyte and Gail Roush, of Chillicothe.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morris spent Saturday and Sunday in Sabina, visiting friends.

Miss Ruth Smith returned to Ohio State University Monday.

Miss Dorothy Fullerton spent Sunday with her sister, Miss Margaret, in Columbus leaving on the evening train for Madison, Wis., to complete her senior year at Wisconsin University.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hays write from Jacksonville, Fla., that it is unusually cold for that section and they are leaving for St. Augustine, Orlando and points farther south.

Mrs. Robert Schenck returned to her home in Dayton on the last of the week after a visit of several weeks at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Patton.

Mrs. H. Renick Boggs returned Sunday afternoon from a four weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Joseph H. Donnell, and family, in Chicago. She was accompanied home by Oliver Miller, who visited relatives in Chicago, through the holidays. Mrs. Frank L. Stutson and Mrs. Bertha S. Miller will not return until latter in the week. Mrs. Boggs was fortunate in taking the last train out of Chicago Saturday, the worst blizzard of the season tying everything up for the present.

Miss Zella Patton was down from Columbus spending Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Patton.

Mrs. Mary Whelpley and granddaughter, Miss Marion have returned from a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Katharine Blidwell and family, in Springfield, Ill., stopping over en route at Indianapolis for a short visit with Mr. Stoddard Hamilton.

Miss Juanita Haines spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Hays Dill, near Jeffersonville.

Announcement is made of the birth of a daughter to Sgt. Otto Lee and wife (nee Marie Vance) at the home of Mrs. Lee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Vance on the Greenfield pike, Sgt. Lee is "Somewhere in France" with Capt. Hardway.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Browne and children returned the last of the week from a visit in New York. Mrs. Browne and children had expected to remain for a couple of months but returned home on account of the fuel situation. Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, of Cincinnati, visited their son and family over Sunday.

Mrs. Troy Junk and two children returned Saturday from a three weeks' visit at Mrs. Junk's home in Oxford. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beard, accompanied them home and remained over Sunday.

Robert Craig is spending a few days in Delaware.

Mrs. G. M. Paul returned Saturday from Chillicothe where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Enderlin.

Mrs. William Fogle, who has been the guest of Mrs. Mary Brownell, in Dayton for the past week, returned to her home Friday evening.

Ralph Mayer and Herbert Rothrock spent Monday in Columbus on business.

Miss Minnie Cox left Saturday for Akron, where she teaches in the public schools. Misses Maud Cox and Lulu Binegar accompanied Miss Cox as far as Columbus to see "Ben Hur" at the Hartman, and returned Sunday.

Paul Strey and Robert Sollars returned to O. W. U., Monday.

Miss Emma Swartz returned home Sunday from a week's visit in Portsmouth with Miss Lottie Dellard.

Miss Lora Ellen Tharp returned to Columbus Monday morning, after spending the holidays at her home.

Mr. Howard Ellis, who has been spending a few days with his brother, Mr. Walter Ellis and family left Sunday afternoon for Chicago.

Mrs. J. H. Cullen returned Sunday afternoon from a visit with relatives in Columbus.

Misses Kathleen Davis and Edith Worthington returned to Ohio State University Monday.

Misses Gladys Fenner, Ruth Brownell, Bertha Townsley and Lois Hankins of Sedalia returned to Ohio Wesleyan University at Delaware, Monday.

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COME IN AND HEAR THEM.

Albert Flowers was home from Camp Sherman spending Sunday.

Mrs. N. A. Taylor is confined to her home on Washington avenue as a result of a fall on the ice Sunday, when she sustained a sprained back.

Mr. H. R. Ramsey of Athens, O., formerly of this city, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Lottie Deves, of Forest street, where his father, Mr. C. W. Ramsey, veteran of the Civil War, is in a serious condition.

Master Harold Rodecker returned Monday from a couple of days' visit with his uncle, Mr. Harry Hicks, and family, in Columbus.

Mr. C. H. Moore left for Chicago and Grand Rapids, Mich., Monday, to attend the furniture markets during the next ten days or two weeks.

Those from this city who attended the funeral services of J. M. Boyer, at Jeffersonville, Sunday afternoon, were: Hon. C. A. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robinson, Mrs. Ola Boyer and son Virgil and daughter Lucile, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moots and son Harold.

Mr. Will E. Dale is in Grand Rapids, Mich., attending the furniture market which will be held during the next ten days.

Mrs. Nancy Roberts who is spending the winter with her son, Mr. S. C. Roberts, in Chattanooga, Tenn., writes as cold as in Fayette county.

Miss Dorothy Rogers returned to studies at Wilmington College Monday.

Miss Dorothy Bush went back to Mount St. Joseph's Academy on the Ohio, Monday, after spending the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bush.

Jack Worrell returned to O. S. U. Monday.

Mr. T. H. Craig received a telegram Monday morning from his son Lieut. Harold Craig at Camp Sherman, Montgomery, Ala., stating that he has been transferred with the Reserves to Camp Meade, Maryland, and expects to leave to night.

Misses Lois Lampe and Ruth Smith returned to O. S. U. Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Orman, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Johnson returned Monday morning from a six weeks visit in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. P. M. Cook and son Robert returned Saturday from a month's visit with Mrs. Cook's parents in Washington, D. C.

Miss Dorothy Fullerton left Sunday morning for Madison, Wis., to continue her studies at the University of Wisconsin.

Mrs. Austin F. Hopkins accompanied her son as far as Columbus, Monday on his way back to Columbia University at New York city.

Mr. Omer Hidy, who was injured in a recent acetylene explosion, is recovering very slowly.

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BANKS UNITE IN SENDING TOBACCO TO FAYETTE BOYS

Midland National and Commercial Banks Forward \$50 Worth of Tobacco to Fayette Troops in France—Weed Is Scarce in Far Off France.

As result of the action of the Midland National and Commercial Banks in this city, the hearts of Fayette county soldiers in France will be made glad by the receipt of a large consignment of tobacco, consisting of plug tobacco, scrap, cigars, cigarettes and cigarette papers, costing in all \$50 and requiring \$11.25 postage.

The action of the two banks is the result of a letter received by Mr. M. S. Daugherty, from Captain O. E. Hardway, in which it was mentioned that tobacco of all kinds was very scarce.

In all there are sixteen packages, each weighing seven pounds, half of the packages being shipped by mail last Saturday, and the remainder will be shipped by mail next Saturday, to insure receipt at different times, if possible, but more particularly to insure delivery of at least half of the tobacco, should one shipment be lost.

The tobacco is sent direct to Capt. Hardway, and is to be distributed to Company M and any other Fayette counties in France.

The action of the banks will attract general attention in this city and county, and do much toward calling the attention of the people in general to the necessity of doing something toward adding to the comfort and happiness of Fayette county men at the front.

It has been suggested that a tobacco fund be started in this county, and it is expected that this will be worked out within a short time, so that all persons may add a little change to the fund to help make the boys happy.

CECILIAN MEETING

The active members of the Cecilian Club are requested to meet at the club rooms Tuesday January 8th at 2.30, business of importance. The program will begin at 3.15.

SECRETARY.

W. R. C.

Woman's Relief Corps, the regular meeting of W. R. C. in Memorial Hall Thursday, January 10 at 1.30 p. m. sharp. Installation of officers. All members urged to be present.

SECRETARY.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Miss Clara Davis is ill at the Fayette Hospital with pneumonia.

Mrs. William McCoy is taking special medical treatment at the Fayette Hospital.

PLANS ALL MADE FOR FARMERS INSTITUTE AT JEFFERSONVILLE

Complete plans have been made for the annual Farmers' Institute at Jefferson Hall, Jeffersonville, on Friday and Saturday of this week, and indications are that the event will be up to the usual high standard in that town.

The state speakers are Horatio Markley, C. R. Wagner and Miss Mabel Corbould.

The program arranged for the event will be one of more than ordinary interest, and is given in full as follows:

Friday, January 11, 9:15 a. m.

Fairy Land Waltz High School Chorus Invocation Rev. R. S. Meyer Out on the Deep, High School Chorus The Advantage of Farm Life

..... Grayson Kirk Our Trip to Washington

..... Maud Mitchell Song—Hooray for Uncle Sam

..... 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th Grades Recitation Ruby Johnson Song—Keep the Home Fires Burning

..... Ethel Reading Reading Gwendolyn Spengler Song—Loyalty is the Word Today

The Gypsy Chorus—From the Bohemian Girl

The Call to Arms

..... High School Chorus Agriculture—Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow Horatio Markley The Star Spangled Banner, Audience Ladies' Session, 1:00 p. m.

Musical Mrs. Mauna Shockley Red Cross Work

..... By a Red Cross Worker Wheat, Flour and Bread

..... Miss Mabel Corbould Musical Quartette Uncle Sam Fighting the Diseases of the World Mrs. J. H. French Household Science, Old and New...

..... Mrs. Geo. McGrew Musical Quartette Evening Session, 7:00 p. m.

Musical Orchestra The Nation's Playgrounds

Preparedness, The Word of the Hour C. R. Wagner Discussion. Opened by Howard Hagler

The Business Side of Farming—Buying and Selling H. Markley Discussion. Opened by Chas. McCoy

Musical Orchestra Present officers of the Institute are: President, A. G. Blessing; vice president, A. S. Boone; secretary, F. E. Eichelberger. Executive Committee: A. Armstrong, Hays Dill, S. C. Creamer, Mrs. Minnie Reading, Mrs. Frank Zimmerman. Nominating Committee: T. A. Jones, Frank Carr, Warner Straley.

B. & O. ENGINEER NEARLY LOSES LIFE

A B. & O. engineer nearly met a tragic death in this city Sunday, while endeavoring to oil his engine while it was moving slowly, and slipped upon the ice covered platform at the union station, falling down between the rail and the edge of the platform, where he huddled until the engine and train passed by.

So narrow was his escape from death that the drivers of the engine and the trucks of each car brushed against his body as they passed.

UNUSUAL NUMBER PLAYED BY QUARTET

It will be learned with much interest by those who were fortunate enough to hear the concert given by the Culp String Quartet, under the auspices of The Cecilians, last Friday night, that their closing number "Dvorak" group was rendered for the first time to an American audience outside of New York City.

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Lloyd George's Speech

Premier Lloyd George in a masterful address to the laboring men of Great Britain, on Saturday morning, clearly defined the cause of the allied nations so that there need be no further doubt either in Entente nations or in Germany, Austria-Hungary or Turkey as to the cause of the war and the terms and the only terms upon which a lasting peace may be secured throughout the world.

That it is not the aim of the Allies to destroy Germany's great power as a commercial nation is maintained, in so many words capable of neither misunderstanding nor misconstruction.

The earnest desire of the allied nations to bring the awful horrors of this war to an end is emphatically proclaimed. Nothing save the greatness and cleanness of the just cause could be justification for a continuance of the awful struggle and all the suffering it entails, Lloyd George asserts.

The position which President Wilson has proclaimed for the United States is adopted in whole by the British premier speaking for Great Britain and the other nations and people, in Europe, arrayed against the Central Powers.

The underlying cause which drives the Allies on to further deeds and further suffering is the determination to end the war rather than to postpone it.

In view of the insincere offers of peace which the German military powers are continually giving to the world with the hope of postponing the ultimate fall of autocratic government, it is well that Premier George reaffirms the aims and purposes of the Allies and the causes of war, in clear, concise and honest words, setting forth the hopes and desires of humanity.

Litvinoff's Dream

Maxim Litvinoff, the Bolshevik delegate or ambassador if we may, under existing conditions, call him by so dignified a title, has arrived in London for the purpose of explaining the attitude of the Russian radical organization to British people and to the world.

After explaining the aims and purposes of the Bolshevik and asserting that to consider the Russian organization as pro-German is both unjust and unwarranted, Litvinoff announces the rather startling theory that if peace terms can be agreed upon between Russia and Germany and her allies, that the commingling of soldiers of the two nations on the eastern frontier will do more to bring the war to an end than the battles on the western front.

As supporting that rather startling conclusion this radical Russian dreamer asserts that the spirit of independence, the antagonism to autocratic rule and military control which has taken complete possession of the Russian soldiers will spread to the ranks of the German soldiers and ere long the soldiers of the Kaiser, of the Emperor of Austria and the Sultan of Turkey will see the light, even as the soldiers and workmen of Russia have already seen it and revolt from within will finally bring about the change in Germany for which the world has hoped and for which it is fighting.

Enslaved for centuries and for centuries planning and plotting revolution, dreaming, dreaming of freedom, now that the seemingly impossible has actually happened, Russians think there is no limit to their success. They cannot realize that, until men are made over, the freedom of which Litvinoff dreams, is impossible with government.

The Russian masses have been and are ripe for revolt—any revolt, any change, any plot which is designed to strike down organized authority, but that condition does not exist any where outside of Russia. The seeds of revolt will find, in Germany, no such fertile soil as Russia offers we fear. The Russians abhor governments, the Germans worship it. The two nations present the extremes.

The Melting Pot

The War with all its weight of woe has brought some very revolutionary changes in customs and habits which, in the years to come, cannot fail to be beneficial to the people of all nations.

First of all, it has taught us economy, has demonstrated to our entire satisfaction that there are many supposed necessities which we can do without and really be better off. Especially to the American people is that lesson so dearly purchased, certain to result in good.

Some of the ladies of the city—members of the National League for Women's Service—installed last week at one of our banks and at the public school building a huge receptacle—which they called a melting pot. That taught the people that all the scores of discarded metal utensils and trinkets and ornaments, which have been "no account" for years, can now be made to serve a good purpose.

Thousands of tons of valuable metal can be secured if the melting pot plan is generally followed, and at the same time hundreds of thousands of dollars can be made from waste material.

Poetry For Today

GIVE US MEN.

God, give us men! A time like this demands
Strong minds, great hearts, true faith
and ready hands;
Men whom the lust of lucre does not
kill;
Men whom the spoils of office cannot
buy;
Men who possess opinion and a will;
Men who have honor; men who will
not lie.
Men who can stand before a demagogue
And damn his treacherous flatteries
without winking;
Tall men, sun crowned, who live above
the fog,
In public duty and in private thinking.
For while the rabble with their thumb-
worn creeds,
Their large professions and their little
deeds,
Mingle in selfish strife, Lo! freedom
weeps;
Wrong rules the land, and waiting
justice sleeps.
—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

Weather Report

Washington, January 7.—Ohio: Snow and colder Monday, much colder at night; Tuesday fair.

West Virginia — Rain Monday, turning to snow; colder, much colder at night; Tuesday fair, except local snows in extreme east.

Western Pennsylvania — Rain Monday morning, turning to snow, much colder at night; Tuesday cloudy, snow near Lake Erie.

WEATHER FORECAST

Ohio—Colder tonight; Tuesday fair.

Daily Calendar.

From noon today to noon tomorrow: Sun sets, 4:50; moon rises, 2:13 a. m.; sun rises, 7:34.

CLIMATOLOGICAL CHART.

1:00 o'clock p. m.
Temperature 21
Lowest last night 29
Moisture Percentage 73
Rainfall 24 hrs. 39
Barometer 29.42

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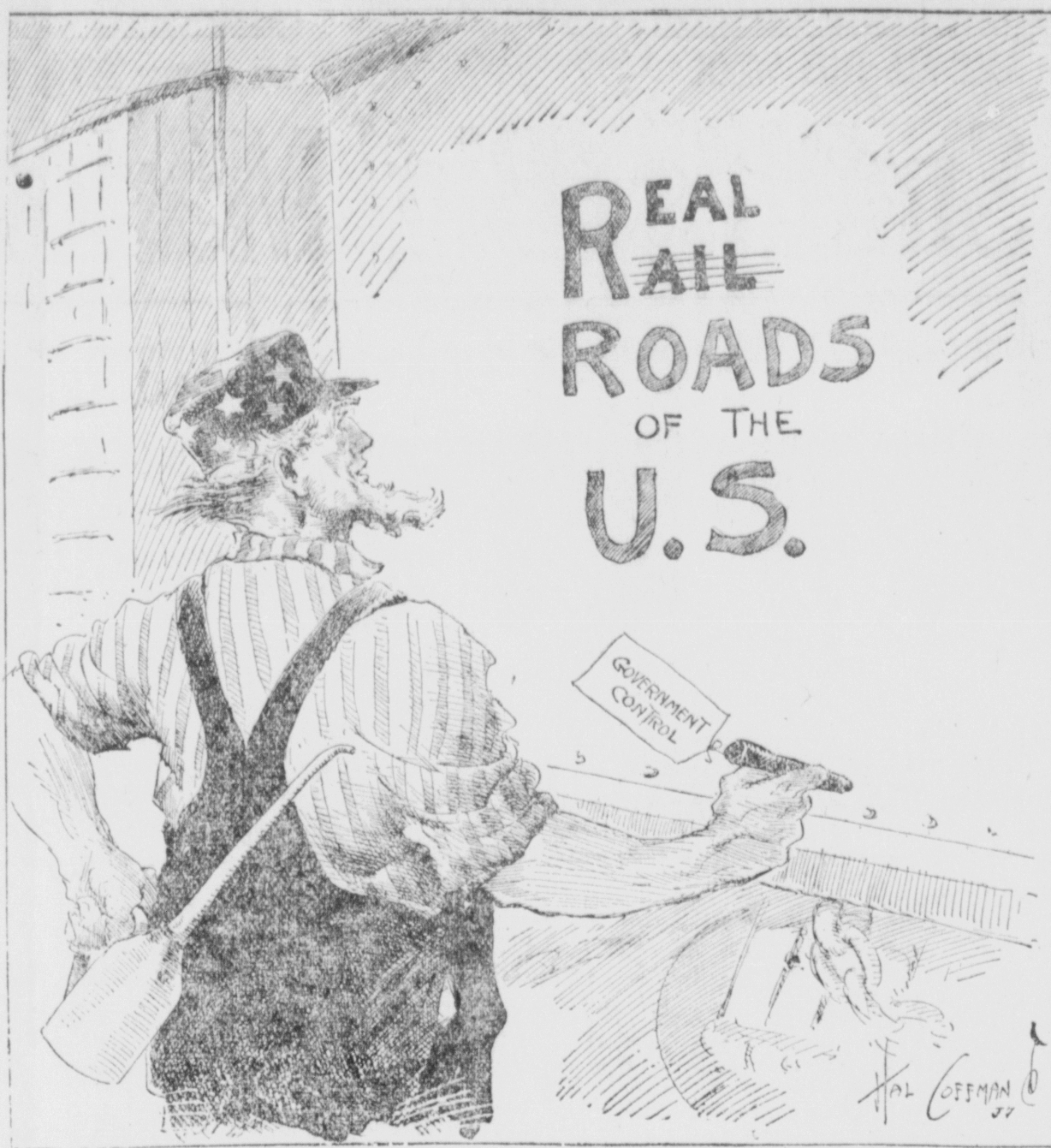
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CONCERN FOR FOOD SUPPLY

(By American Press)

Washington, Jan. 7.—The food situation in the allied countries of Europe is graver than it has been at any time since the beginning of the war and is giving American government officials deep concern. Official reports picture extreme food short ages in England, France and Italy.

The fact that conditions in Germany and Austria are far worse offers the grounds for optimism in viewing the situation.

In England and France the situation is described as critical in a cablegram to the food administrator from Lord Rhonda, the British food controller, which concluded with these words: "I view the situation with grave anxiety."

A cablegram from the French government said that the wheat crop had been requisitioned and that the bread ration would be cut to allow only seven ounces of bread daily to all except the very poor and those doing hard manual labor. In Italy conditions are not as good, perhaps, as in either England or France.

Compulsory rationing will be started in England immediately, with meats the first commodity to be put under control. Distribution of butter and margarine will be taken in hand next and other foods will be added as they become scarcer. All of the principal foodstuffs will be rationed by April.

"I have repeatedly said in public and private that there is no reason for immediate alarm, although there is every reason for strict economy and precautionary measures," said Lord Rhonda's message. "These statements in some instances have been twisted into a declaration that there is plenty of food in England and France. The food position in this country and I understand in France also, can, without exaggeration, be described as critical and anxious. As I am now unable to avoid compulsory rationing, I fear it will have to come with long queues of people awaiting in the severe weather in practically every town in England for the daily necessities of life."

Compulsory control of foodstuffs in England, France and Italy was insisted on by the American delegates to the Paris conference and was promised at that time.

COUNTESS NABBED WITH CONTRABAND

(Associated Press Correspondence)

Amsterdam, December 28.—Caught at Zevenaar by a special agent of the Hague police, while she was attempting to smuggle into Germany

OUR JITNEY OFFER—This and 5c. DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return mail a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds and croup; Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Blackmer & Tanquary. Advt.

BIG SNOWS DELAY TRAINS

(By American Press)

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Falling snow, driven by a 35-mile gale, over the entire central west has very seriously impeded traffic of all sorts. Railway transportation officials reported that trains operating between Chicago, St. Louis, Omaha and Kansas City were "100 per cent delayed," with danger of total tieups becoming more imminent.

WOULD BRING ACTION AGAINST MEANS NOW

(By American Press)

New York, Jan. 7.—As an aftermath of the recent trial of Gaston B. Means, acquitted at Concord, N. C., of the murder of Mrs. Maude A. King, an affidavit was filed in the supreme court here alleging, in effect, the appropriation of funds belonging to Mrs. King and her estate by Means for the benefit of himself and his wife.

The affidavit was made by the temporary administrator of Mrs. King's estate in an action in which it is sought to prevent Mrs. Means from drawing out money deposited in her name in the Corn Exchange bank here. The bank refused to honor a check of hers against the account, being notified that the United States court for the western district, North Carolina, had issued an order restraining Mr. and Mrs. Means from interfering with the property of Mrs. King's estate.

They work while you rest—Herald Classified adds.

TELLS OF DRY NAVY



Mrs. Josephus Daniels, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, tells the story of why Secretary Daniels issued the order making the navy dry. In speaking of the order, Mrs. Daniels said, "A young Quaker officer was court-martialed and reduced for intoxication. His uncle came and severely upbraided my husband, saying the young man had never touched drink before entering the navy, and learned to drink there. My husband thereupon issued the order which made the navy dry."

AFTER SICKNESS THEY GAVE HER VINOL

And She Soon Got Back Her Strength

New Castle, Ind.—"The measles left me run down, no appetite, could not rest at night, and I took a severe cold which settled on my lungs, so I was unable to keep about my household. My doctor advised me to take Vinol, and six bottles restored my health so I do all my housework, including washing. Vinol is the best medicine I ever used."—Alice Record, 437 So. 11th St., New Castle, Ind.

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Barchet's Meat Market

HER TROUBLE IS GONE.

Mrs. Thomas H. Davis, Montgomery, Ind., says she had trouble with her bladder and had doctored for several months without relief, when Foley Kidney Pills were recommended and she commenced using them and got relief. They relieve backache, rheumatic pains, stiff, swollen joints and kidney trouble. Blackmer & Tanquary. Advt.

TAX COLLECTIONS AT VARIOUS POINTS

County Treasurer A. W. Duff, for the convenience of the tax payers, will be at the following points on the dates designated, for the purpose of collecting taxes:

Good Hope, January 8th; Bloomingburg, January 9th; Jeffersonville, January 10th; Milledgeville, January 11th. 306 ft

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INCOME TAX MAN IS PLEASED WITH PROMPT RESPONSE

Fifty to sixty per day is the rate at which Fayette county citizens who believe they are subject to the income tax law are pouring into the office of Federal Income Tax Collector Chas. Newell, in the basement of the court house.

Monday morning Mr. Newell expressed his appreciation of the prompt manner in which citizens are responding and declared that the indications are that the first estimate of about 830 persons in the county who would be subject to the income tax, will be greatly exceeded.

Fayette county is making a splendid showing, declared Mr. Newell, and the type of Fayette citizens also came in for praise. "The intelligence displayed by Fayette citizens indicates a citizenship much above the average" he stated.

Mr. Newell has received word that the blanks ordered from Washington will be here within a day or two.

QUESTIONNAIRES ARE NEARLY ALL MAILED

The Fayette County Local Board will mail out its last questionnaires Wednesday of this week, and all the questionnaires must be filled out and in the hands of the Local Board within seven days after they are mailed.

Monday questionnaires were sent out to all men of the numbers 1350 to 1425 inclusive.

All registrants who do not return their questionnaires promptly will be classed among those disobeying the draft laws and dealt with in accordance with the penalty provided by law.

FREE SAMPLES OF RARE FARM SEEDS

Washington, D. C., January 7.—The office of Hon. S. D. Fess, member of Congress, Washington, D. C., announces the annual distribution of new and rare field seeds from the Department of Agriculture. The Seventh Ohio District is allotted the following number of packages this year.

60 four-pound packages of Kansas Alfalfa.

70 two-pound packages of Brabham Cowpeas.

100 two-pound packages of Soybeans—Wilson 5.

200 one-pound packages of Sudan Grass.

Your representative wants the names of farmers who will be interested in testing one or more of these crops. The seed will be mailed out from the Agricultural Department's warehouse

directly to the farmer free of all charge, and will be accompanied by a circular giving full instructions regarding the culture of the crop furnished.

BUTTONS AND FLAGS ORDERED BY BOARD

The Fayette County War Council has ordered 1,000 additional Red Cross buttons and 1,000 window service flags to be distributed to those who have not received their buttons and flags.

These flags and buttons will be received within a short time and will be distributed by the workers in the various precincts.

MANY RURAL SCHOOLS ARE STILL CLOSED

Quite a number of the schools of the county remained closed on account of fuel shortage and vaccination.

No immediate relief is seen for some of the cases of fuel shortage, but the situation in regard to contagious diseases is rapidly clearing up, and the prospects of reopening virtually all schools within a few days, are good.

DEFENSE COUNCIL DOES GOOD WORK

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, January 5.—Expedient production and delivery of war supplies and substantial saving in contract prices to the government have been achieved by the Council of National Defense through its civilian Advisory Commission, according to the Council's first annual report transmitted to Congress today by the President. The report covers the work of the Council for only four months, from the time of organization, March 3, 1917, to the end of the fiscal year, June 30.

"In a broad sense, the Council and Commission have sought to make available to the United States the best thought and effort of American industrial and professional life for the successful prosecution of the war," the report says.

CLASH IS NEAR IN CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, O., January 5.—The decision of the new city administration to establish a licensing system for professions and occupations may bring about the first legal test of the new city charter. It is contended by some attorneys that city council will not have the right to enact any legislation that is now authorized by the state laws, and that the state laws do not authorize such a licensing system.

FARMER MEETING OF MUCH IMPORTANCE

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Columbus, O., January 5.—The food problem brought about by the war and growing daily of more importance will be the center of greatest interest when farmers from Ohio hold their annual Farmers' Week roundup here January 28 to February 1, inclusive. The College of Agriculture, Ohio State university, will be the meeting place.

Agricultural problems and some of the stumbling blocks and mistakes of Canadians will be told by G. C. Greenman, president of the Ontario Agricultural college, at Guelph, Ontario. He is to be one of the chief speakers during the meeting.

During the week a large number of bodies affiliated with the farmers' organization will hold annual meetings among them being the Ohio State Horticultural Society, the Ohio State Vegetable Growers' association, the Ohio Rural Life association, the Ohio Bee Keepers' association, the Ohio State Seed Improvement association, the Ohio state Forestry association and nearly a dozen live stock breeders' associations. Most of the organizations will hold their sessions simultaneously during the day. Educational sessions will be held during the evenings. Those looking after the interests of the big roundup this year expect the attendance to eclipse that of last year when more than 4,000 farmers were here for the week.

FARMERS WILL USE MANY TRACTORS

Reports indicate that Fayette county farmers will not be behind other progressive farmers of the state in the use of farm tractors for breaking their ground and performing other work which ordinarily is done with horses, and which ordinarily requires more farm help.

Wherever possible to use one of the farm tractors the tractors will greatly facilitate the farm work and at the same time save the expense of at least one farm laborer, so that in a great many instances the tractors are made to pay for themselves in the first year they are used.

GUILD KENSINGTON.

Mrs. D. H. C. Bowen will entertain the Women's Guild Kensington of the Presbyterian church, Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock. All women of the church are cordially invited.

SECRETARY.

SUGAR GROVE W. C. T. U.

Sugar Grove W. C. T. U. meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Maude Cockerill on the Greenfield pike, Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock.

BOLSHEVIKI LEADER



LEON TROTSKY

This photo of Leon Trotsky was made after he had been appointed Foreign Minister in the Bolshevik Government, and is the first to arrive in this country from Russia. Trotsky announced in the Soviet the rejection of the Austro-German peace proposals, which may be the cause of the recognition of the Bolshevik Government by the Allies.

PEACE PARLEYS AGAIN HALTED

(By American Press)

London, Jan. 7.—Peace negotiations between the Teutonic allies and the Bolshevik government have been temporarily suspended. It is announced from Berlin.

It appears the rock upon which a continuation of the four parties split was the demand of the Russians that the conference be resumed at Stockholm instead of at Brest-Litovsk. Dissatisfied with the proposals for peace made by the Teutonic allies before the recess of the Brest-Litovsk conference, Leon Trotsky, the Bolshevik foreign minister, had been insistent of the deliberations being held on neutral soil instead of at the German eastern headquarters. The Germans, however, had been equally as firm in their determination not to treat with the Russians at any other place than Brest-Litovsk.

German advisers Saturday were to the effect that the Bolshevik delegates, on finding that the representatives of the Teutonic allies were at Brest-Litovsk awaiting them, had started for this town, but nothing has come through to show that these had any foundation in fact. The decision of the Germans to discontinue the sittings was arrived at during a crown council held in Berlin Saturday which was attended by Field Marshal von Hindenburg and General von Ludendorff, first quartermaster general.

A belated dispatch from Berlin gives as the reason for the refusal of the Germans to consider Stockholm a place where peace might be advantageously discussed, the fear that British, French and American diplomats in the Swedish capital would, by intrigue, render all efforts futile.

Dispatches from Berlin indicate that, although the reichstag parties in the main are supporting the government, considerable political unrest is prevalent and that strong efforts are being made to hold the Socialists in line. The Socialist organ in Berlin characterizes the situation as extraordinarily serious.

There has been considerable activity by the infantry in the Arras sector, in Flanders and on the eastern part of the front along the Moselle river. Near Bullecourt the British have recaptured, in a counter attack, the rap taken from them Saturday by the Germans. There were intermittent artillery duels along the entire battle front.

In the Italian theater the big guns of both sides are hammering away at opposing positions in the hills and on the lower reaches of the Piave river.

FARMERS' MEETING AT STATE HOUSE

The annual meeting of the Board of Agriculture of Ohio in connection with officials of County Agricultural Societies will be held in the House of Representatives, State Capitol, Columbus, January 17th.

Governor Cox, Carl Vrooman, assistant secretary of the United States Department of Agriculture and other speakers of national prominence will discuss subjects of utmost importance to the agricultural interests of the state.

Farm labor and the possibilities of farm tractors will be subjects given especial attention. The views of farmers on these subjects is very necessary and a large attendance is desired.

BROWNING CLUB.

Regular meeting of the Browning Club Tuesday evening, January 8th, at 7:30. Nomination of officers.

SECRETARY.

SUGAR

With a view to giving the public a correct understanding of the sugar situation, the following FACTS are presented:

Existing conditions are world wide in their effect, not in any sense local. Any consideration of the question of available sugar supply must take into account a series of extraordinary factors.

The immediate effect of the declaration of the European war was to cut off from the world's market the sugar of the Central Powers. About one-third of the world's total production formerly came from within the present battlelines of Europe. The Western battlefront passes through the sugar producing territory of France and of Belgium. In consequence, England, France and other foreign countries have competed with the United States for Cuba's cane sugar.

Not only did this cause an advance in the price of raw and refined sugar, but until competition was checked by the recent agreement among the Allies, it resulted in lessening the supply available to the people of this country last fall.

At the same time, an abundance of sugar—hundreds of thousands of tons—has been locked up in far-away Java, owing to the lack of ships to transport it. It is no more available than unmined gold. To provide ships to bring this sugar here—or to Europe—would withdraw them from the more important business of carrying our soldiers and their supplies overseas, as Mr. Hoover has pointed out.

The nation-wide movement to save the fruit crop last season greatly increased the use of sugar. While the quantity in the sugar bowl was for this and other reasons lessened, this sugar is wisely stored as food in preserved fruits, jams and jellies.

"Every jar of fruit preserved adds that much to our insurance of victory, adds that much to hasten the end of this conflict."

Because of the increased demand for sugar, more sugar cane has been planted in Cuba, Porto Rico, Hawaii and Louisiana, the chief sources from which the United States gets cane sugar.

The reports from Cuba and Porto Rico make the situation more favorable than a month ago for a supply to meet the sugar needs of all who are dependent on this source—including this country, our soldiers abroad and the Allies.

We buy raw cane sugar in the open market and refine it. To the extent of our ability, we are co-operating with the Government to insure a fair distribution of cane sugar, to stabilize the price to the consumer and to prevent hoarding and waste. We kept our refineries working last fall so long as there was a ton of raw sugar to be had.

In order to make our output of refined sugar go as widely as possible, we distribute Domino Cane Sugars in convenient-size cartons and small cotton bags. These small-size packages make it easy for grocers to limit sales to actual needs and to prevent hoarding. They help to prevent waste in the home. Housewives can cooperate with this plan by asking for these package sugars.

It will be necessary for grocers and consumers to watch carefully their distribution and purchases during the approaching period of readjustment. The refineries are now starting up and supplies of raw sugar coming forward but it will take weeks, and possibly months, for the return of normal conditions.

In war-time and at all times it is our aim to safeguard the interests of the public we serve.

American Sugar Refining Company

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Granulated, Tablet, Powdered, Confectioners, Brown

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Harry Carey

Wm. S. Hart's only rival in portraying real Western characters in

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A full-blooded Western story that has plenty of action and human interest. The suspense is well maintained until the last, with enough thrills injected to make it an entertainment of value.

Night Shows 7:00 and 8:30.

ALL SEATS 11c

TOMORROW Wm. Fox presents Gladys Brockwell in "A BRANDED SOUL" MATINEE 2:30

COMING — "Les Miserables"

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Colds allowed to run unchecked at this season and under such weather conditions are likely to develop into some serious complication of pneumonia. You can prevent this by immediate use of

Laxacold Tablets

They'll break up your cold before it breaks you. 25 tablets 25c

We also suggest Nyal Winter Cough Syrup for your cough; it reaches the spot; and stops the tickle. 25c-50c bottles

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JOAN OF ARC, a child in years, ignorant, but possessed of a soul of holy patriotism, roused a nation to her standing of liberty in 1430 and won lasting freedom for France. Today Gen. Neville holds the destiny of France in his hand and leads a fighting army to preserve the freedom of the people which Joan of Arc gave to them so many years ago. This great story will be shown in one of the greatest dramatic motion pictures now on the market, viz:

Joan the Woman

WITH GERALDINE FARRAR AS

JOAN OF ARC

Never has the story of freedom and love of country been told so beautifully and realistically as in this wonderful production.

Matinee Each Day at 2:30

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Admission 10c and 20c

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Darling of the Clan and Wild and Woolly

Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS, LAST SALE
New York, January 7.—American Beet Sugar 71; American Sugar Refining 100; Baltimore & Ohio 53; Bethlehem Steel 79½; Chesapeake & Ohio 52½; Erie 15½; Kennicott Copper 32; Louisville & Nashville 111½; Midvale Steel 47; Norfolk & Western 103½; Ohio Cities Gas 37½; Republic Iron and Steel 77 3/4; United States Steel 94 7/8; Willys Overland 18.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.
Chicago, January 7.—Hogs — Receipts 20000; market strong; bulk \$16.40@16.70; light \$15.75@16.65; mixed \$16.10@16.80; heavy \$16.05@16.80; rough \$16.05@16.25; pigs \$12.25@15.30.

Cattle—Receipts 14000; native beef cattle \$7.85@13.50; stockers and feeders \$6.70@10.50; cows and heifers \$5.50@11.60; calves \$8.50@15.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 10000; market strong; wethers \$9.50@13.25; lambs \$13.50@17.30.

Pittsburg, January 7.—Hogs—Receipts 7500; market lower heavies \$17.00@17.15; heavy yorkers and light yorkers \$17.00@17.20; pigs \$17.00@17.05.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1000; market higher; top sheep \$13.00; top lambs \$18.00.

Calves—Receipts 250; market steady; top \$17.00.

Cattle—Receipts 1500; market steady; \$12.50@13.00.

East Buffalo, January 7.—Cattle — Receipts 2800; market steady; shipping \$11.75@12.00; butchers \$10.00@12.25; heifers \$8.00@11.50; cows \$4.50@10.25; bulls \$5.50@9.75; stockers and feeders \$6.50@10.50.

Fresh Cows and Springers \$50 and \$40.

Veal—Receipts 1200; market steady; quotation \$7.00@17.50.

Hogs — Receipts 1200; heavies \$17.15@17.25; yorkers and light yorkers \$17.10@17.15; pigs \$16.50@16.75; roughs \$16.90@16.50; stags \$14.00@15.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 5000; market active; yearlings \$12.00@16.00.

Cincinnati, O., January 7.—Hogs—Receipts 6200; market high; packers and butchers \$16.75@16.90; common to choice \$10.00@15.50; pigs and lights \$12.00@16.00; stags \$10.00@13.00.

Cattle—Receipts 13000; market high steers \$6.00@11.75; heifers \$6.00@11.00; cows \$5.50@9.00.

Calves—High; \$5.50@16.00.

Sheep—\$5.00@10.50.

Lambs—\$10.00@17.00.

GRAIN MARKET

CLOSE
Chicago, January 7.—Corn — Jan. \$1.27 1/4; May \$1.25 5/8.

Oats—Jan. 80½; May 77½.

Pork—May \$45.30; Jan. \$45.80.

Lard—May \$24.37; Jan. \$24.00.

Ribs —May \$24.27; Jan. \$23.77.

CLOVER SEED

Prime cash (old) \$17.40; (new) \$17.40; January \$17.40; February \$17.40; March \$16.85.

ALSIKE

Prime cash \$14.85; Feb. \$14.90; March \$14.95.

TIMOTHY

Prime cash (old) \$4.22; (new) \$4.32; March \$4.57.

THE LOCAL MARKET

Wheat \$2.07

Corn \$1.25

Oats 70c

WASHINGTON PRODUCE MARKET

Butter 40c

Young Chickens 18c

Eggs 48c

Hens 15c

Creamery Butter (retail) 53c

PANIC IN SUBWAY TWENTY-TWO HURT

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Cambridge, Mass., January 7.—Twenty-two passengers aboard a subway were injured today at Kendall Square station in a wild scramble to escape from cars which filled with smoke after a fuse blew out with a roar that resembled an explosion.

All lights in the underground passage were extinguished and in the darkness men and women broke through glass doors and windows while many were trapped under foot. Ambulances hurried the injured to hospitals but only two were badly hurt.

GRAND JURY MEETS ONLY FEW CASES UP

The January Grand Jury assembled for consideration of the half dozen small cases which were to be taken up.

It was announced that the work would probably be completed sometime Monday afternoon, providing no new cases were initiated by the jury.

One case, coming from Jefferson township, was compromised by the principals before it reached the grand jury, it is understood.

REVIVAL SERVICES OPENED SUNDAY

The evangelistic services of McNair Memorial church opened Sunday with a good attendance, considering the downpour of rain, the snow and slush underfoot. Rev. Rejy's morning sermon "The Judgment Day," was presented in a strong and forceful manner, especially the importance of being prepared to meet the Great Judge. He declared the judgment day is an established fact, and will be universal; no one can escape the judgment bar of God.

The evening sermon, "Where Art Thou," was impressive, full of interest and warning. He impressed the importance of prayer.

The choir, with Miss Beulah Elliott at the piano, furnished the music, each service being preceded with a half hour song service beginning at 7:30 p. m.

ICY STREETS AND ROADS DANGEROUS

Many persons sustained severe falls as result of the icy sidewalks and streets, Monday, and the roads of the county were in such condition that it was with utmost difficulty that they could be traversed by either automobile or horse.

Many instances came to light where automobiles turned about in the road, slid into the ditch, and performed other dangerous stunts because of the glassy surface of the roads.

Walking in the center of the streets has been very popular.

TWO CARS TODAY

Two cars of coal were received in this city Monday, and it was expected this would be sold by night.

Three Brothers Drown.
City Point, Va., Jan. 7.—Vernon Barnett, a national army soldier stationed at Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., and his two brothers, Jarless and Rowland, of Charles City county, were drowned in the James river by their automobile breaking through the ice when they attempted to cross the stream. The bodies have not been recovered.

INVADED FRANCE AND TAX PAYING

(Associated Press Correspondence)

Paris, December 30.—The final accounting of the fiscal department for the year 1913 shows that the ten departments that have been affected by the invasion paid between one-sixth and one-seventh of the total tax income of France.

They paid into the treasury 794,800,624 francs out of a total for the entire country of a little more than five billions. Eliminating Paris and the department of the Seine, these ten departments paid one-fourth of the balance.

WORKERS PLEASED WITH RESPONSE TO MELTING POT FUND

The women of the local branch of the National League for Women's Service are greatly pleased with the very liberal response in connection with the melting pot which was kept at the Midland Bank Friday and Saturday, and into which a host of valuable trinkets were poured to swell the fund for the War Hospitals Library.

From the articles contributed will be realized a snug fund, the extent of which will probably be a surprise, as many trinkets contributed to the melting pots were of solid silver and solid gold; a host of articles were plated ware, while there was a liberal sprinkling of copper and brass.

With in a short time the collection will be disposed of to the best advantage, and the money will help entertain the sick soldiers of America and her allies.

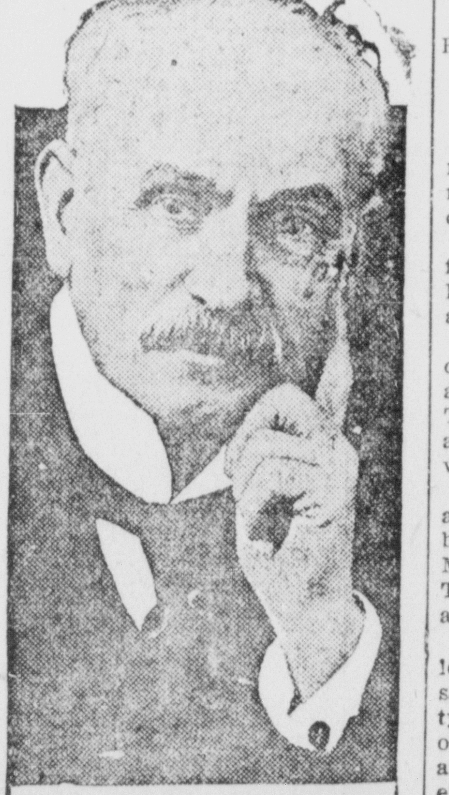
WESTERN RESERVE WELL REPRESENTED

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Cleveland, O., Jan. 7.—Hundreds of officers and students of Western Reserve university are now serving in the military, naval and other forces of the United States. Adelbert College and the graduate schools of medicine and law have participated heavily in patriotic service also.

A Western Reserve university war directory, now being prepared, will include information about members definitely engaged in war work.

SIR JOHN TWEEDY

British Medical Authority Aide Wounded Sailors.



SMALL POX IN MANY OHIO CITIES

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 7.—Small pox was 50 per cent more prevalent in Ohio in November than in October, and was three times as prevalent as in November of 1915 and 1916. The State Department of Health so announced today, giving detailed figures on the state's November smallpox total of 747 cases. It declared also that early reports for December indicate an equal or larger figure for this month.

November's leading centers of infection were the Miami Valley and the Cleveland-Akron region. Two other important centers, each confined to a single county, were in Hocking and Scioto counties.

Shelby county, with 139 new cases in November, had the worst conditions in the state. Its county seat, Sidney, had 91 cases. Sidney's total from the first of October through the first 10 days of December had reached 189 cases—about the same, considering relative populations, the health department pointed out, as if Cleveland had had 15,600 cases in the same period.

Summit county had 104 cases, of which 83 were in Akron. Cuyahoga county had 83—all but one of them in Cleveland. Other infected Miami Valley counties, besides Shelby, with their totals, were: Montgomery 20; Butler 10; Grange 27; Clarke 14; Darke 10; Hamilton 7.

Counties around Akron and Cleveland reported: Medina 14; Wayne 10; Portage 17; Stark 15; Trumbull 6; Mahoning 5; Tuscarawas 6; Scioto county had 66 cases and Hocking had 29.

Comparatively isolated smallpox outcroppings occurred as follows: Franklin county 20 cases; Lucas 15; Fulton 8; Putnam 12; Van Wert 8; Ross 6; and these counties with under five cases each: Williams, Defiance, Mercer, Sandusky, Huron, Lorain, Lake, Coshocton, Guernsey, Belmont, Washington, Athens, Perry, Fairfield, Lawrence, Pike, Highland, Fayette and Clinton.

DEATHS MADISON

Clara Madison, 30, died at her home in Springfield at one o'clock Monday morning. The remains will be brought to this city on the 9:45 D. T. & I. Wednesday morning, and taken to the Second Baptist Church, where funeral services will be held and interment made in the Washington cemetery.

The deceased is a sister of Mrs. Chas. Ferguson.

AS YOU LIKE IT

Rt. Rev. Bishop John S. Foley, Roman Catholic bishop of Detroit for many years, is dead. He was 84 years of age.

James P. Dick, Jr., student aviator from Tarrytown, N. Y., was instantly killed when his machine collapsed and fell at Dallas, Tex.

Joan D. Rockefeller, Jr., has been obliged to close his New York home and move to his father's home at Tarrytown, N. Y., because the Standard Oil company was unable to provide him with oil stove heaters.

Billy Sunday, evangelist, was sued at Indianapolis for \$100,000 damages by Sidney C. Tapp of Kansas City, Mo., an author of books on the Bible. Tapp charges Sunday with plagiarism and infringement on copyright.

Orders making Saturday a "porkless day" are to be issued by the Massachusetts committee on public safety, effective Jan. 12. The small piece of pork ordinarily used in the preparation of baked beans will not, however, be affected.

ONLY FLAG IS ONE GIVEN BY THE ELKS

In a letter received by a brother Elk in this city, Captain O. E. Hardy states that the only American flag floating in his village is a small silk one presented to him by the Elks of this city, and this is kept in front of the house where he is billeted.

As the identity of troops and movement of same are kept secret insofar as possible, few flags of an kind are seen on or near the battle fields of France.

MEMOIR—BELL

Charles R. Bell son of Phillip and Mary Bell was born in Tennessee, December 12th, 1851, and departed this life January 2, 1918, aged 66 years, 21 days.

He was united in marriage to Mary H. Barbour, December 31, 1874, to which union were born eight children. He leaves to mourn his loss a loving wife, seven daughters, brother and sister, besides a host of other relatives and friends.

He has been a faithful member of this church for twenty-five years. Always a kind husband and father, he will be sadly missed by his family.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank all who showed us so much kindness, sympathy and assistance in our recent bereavement.

MRS. CHAS. BELL AND FAMILY.

FARMERS BUYING \$10 SEED CORN

A number of prominent Fayette county farmers have purchased seed corn from Wing Bros., of Mechanicsburg in ten bushel lots at \$10.00 per bushel.

Wing Bros. are selling 3,000 bushels, limiting each buyer to ten bushels. The price is quite without precedent, but the necessity of having good seed corn is so urgent that it outweighs every other consideration.

M. H. G. CLASS

The M. H. G. Class will hold their regular meeting tonight at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Frank Jackson market street.

CLASSIFIED

FOR SALE—Barred Rock cockerels. S. M. Roush, Bell phone. 5 126

WANTED—Immediately, girl to do general housework, no washing, must be neat and careful. Call Automatic 5913 or apply in person at 720 Broadway. 5 16

FOR RENT—Semi-modern five-room house, Columbus Ave. See Mrs. Elizabeth Browning at Smith's store. 5 17

FOR RENT—3 room cottage, 252 Henkle street, Automatic phone 8991. 5 16

FOR SALE—Some good clover, timothy and mixed hay. Call J. N. Browning citizens' phone 56 Bloomington burg. 5 11

THE CROSS

"The Cross still stands high o'er the stife Of reddening brand and clashing steel; The Cross still stands—O, Tree of Life! Whose leaves the suffering nations heal. O, Fount, whence flows a crimson tide; O, source of grace, to none denied; Sweet symbol of the Crucified— The Cross of Christ still stands.

The Cross still stands against the sky Of pain's dark night—of sorrow's tears; The Cross still stands—uplifted high Its beacon light of love appears— Farlung o'er life's tempestuous seas, To guide frail, storm-tossed argosies

Into the Port of Perfect Peace— The Cross of Christ still stands.

The Cross shall stand—our prop and stay Though hearts run waste and courage fail; The Cross shall stand, though flesh decay.

And death o'er mortal life prevail; 'Till Wrong's last citadel shall fall— 'Till sin no more hold souls in thrall 'Till Christ shall reign, "crown'd Lord God of all!"

The Cross—His Cross—shall stand. (Contributed).

GERALDINE FARRAR IN THE IMMORTAL STORY OF "JOAN OF ARC" AT THE WONDERLAND MONDAY AND TUESDAY.

REVIVAL MEETINGS!

At McNair Memorial Church From Jan. 6th to 20th

EVERY NIGHT EXCEPT SATURDAY

Everybody Is Cordially Invited. Won't YOU Come Every Night?

SONG SERVICE

At 7:00 P. M. Choir, Quartet, Duet and Solos.

Preaching Service
At 7:30 P. M.
Soul-Stirring Sermons!
Good Singing. Gospel Preaching
Great Welcome

Help fill the church. No Collection We are not after your perishable money but we are anxious for your immortal soul to be saved.

Think a Little!
Death is Very Near!
Where Will YOU Spend Eternity?

Heaven or Hell! Which? Decide Now!

REV. D. H. REJY, B. A.
The Armenian Preacher, Lecturer, Evangelist

THE RAIL BILL IS TAKEN UP

(By American Press)

Washington, Jan. 7.—Legislation asked by President Wilson in connection with government operation of the nation's railroads heads the program of congress this week.

Interstate commerce committees of the senate and house met today to begin consideration of the administration railroad bill, and the membership of both bodies appear desirous of its early disposal. The senate committee heard prominent railroad executives and the house committee met to map out a program and decide whether hearings will be held. Representative Sims, chairman, and other members of the committee are inclined to favor hearings and they may ask Secretary McAdoo to take charge of testimony for the government.

Other important legislation also is in the making for early consideration at the Capitol. The senate Democratic steering committee met today to map out a program and also to fill the vacant chairmanship of the interstate commerce committee. The leaders generally expect the selection of Senator Smith of South Carolina over Senator Pomeroy of Ohio.

Woman suffrage is to be settled in the house next Thursday, when a vote on the resolution for submission of the Susan B. Anthony amendment to the constitution is scheduled. The result is a doubt, with a very close vote expected. Hearings on the resolution will be closed tonight by the new house suffrage committee.

The principal business before the senate this week is disposal of the Walsh-Pittman coal and oil land leasing bill designed to open up vast western natural resources.

Various investigations of war operations will continue and on Tuesday the senate privileges and elections

committee will resume consideration of Senator La Follette's alleged disloyal St. Paul speech and make plans to begin hearings, probably with former Secretary Bryan as the first witness.

The war inquiry of the senate military committee will continue further investigation of clothing conditions, and the house naval committee will resume examination of navy department heads. Conclusion of the army inquiry late this week or early next week is planned by the senate committee, so that it can present its report and press the bill for a new department of munitions and other proposed legislation.

Investigation of the delay in constructing merchant ships will be resumed tomorrow by the senate commerce committee, with Edward F. Carr, director of operations of the government shipping board, testifying. The coal and sugar shortage inquiries of the senate manufactures committee will continue. Several important witnesses are to be heard.

CITY BOYS SHOW WELL IN EXAMS

(By American Press)

Washington, Jan. 7.—The common belief that country boys are superior physically to those bred in the city is not supported by figures of the selective draft. A comparison made by the provost marshal general's office between 10 large cities and 10 rural counties in various parts of the country shows that of 35,017 registrants in the selected cities 10,063 were rejected, while out of 14,462 registrants in rural areas 12,432 were disqualified. The result was virtually a tie as 29.47 per cent of the city boys were rejected as against 27.96 per cent of the country boys. "The country lad," says General Crowder's report, "accustomed to hard physical labor, may be more muscular than his city cousin, but he is not superior in the degree of physical soundness essential to his acceptance as a soldier."

A classified will secure help for you who not try one today.

GERMAN SAILORS INTERNED IN U. S. CAMP



INTERNED GERMAN SAILORS

This German captive is shown hobnobbing with his American guard at Camp McPherson, Ga. The only thing that no doubt causes him a pang of regret is the fact that he is interned in a dry State and must quench his thirst with despised "soft stuff." This German was a member of the German cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm which interned at Philadelphia and has now been converted into an America cruiser by the United States Navy.

MONTHLY REPORT OF THE OHIO CROPS

The condition of wheat shows a decline of two points since report of one month ago. As indicated in the last report, much of the wheat that had been seeded late failed to get a vigorous start; in fact the plant in some fields was barely perceptible. This was accounted for by the great lack of moisture required to send the plant rapidly forward. These conditions prevailed to a very great extent when the cold weather set in. The fact that there has been no alternate freezing and thawing is favorable to the plant, and that which has made little or no appearance may be protected at the roots and shoot forward in the spring. Another condition favorable to the wheat in general is that preceding the zero weather of December, a good covering of snow fell thus affording protection that will be of great benefit.

As stated in previous reports, corn was late in maturing, was damaged by frost and wet weather, consequently a great deal was unmerchantable and will be fed. Where the greatest

care was not exercised in sorting for the crib, the result is shown in the appearance of mould, which is having its effect in reducing the general condition of corn in the crib. The estimate now showing 67 percent, of an average as compared with 92 per cent one year ago. Corn fodder was greatly damaged. Much so badly rotted as to become worthless for feed.

The greatest care should be exercised in the selection of seed corn. The testing of all ears should be carefully and systematically done. Seed corn is going to be very scarce and high.

The condition of live stock is generally good. Owing to pasture being short last fall some are going to market in an unfinished condition.

Every county in the State complains of a scarcity of farm help. If the average crop production for 1918 is to be maintained the farm labor problem will have to be taken care of otherwise a substantial reduction in all crops will follow.

GERALDINE FARRAR IN THE IMMORTAL STORY OF "JOAN OF ARC" AT THE WONDERLAND MONDAY AND TUESDAY.

FARM NOTES

Size of Farm Business

The number of acres is an important factor in the size of the farm business. Notwithstanding all that has been said and written on the advantages of the small farm, it is generally true that a fair acreage in crops is one of the essentials in securing adequate size of business. This means the land on which crops are planted and harvested during year. The large size of farm does not indicate that a man is doing a large business. It is the land that is actually being used which has an influence in increasing volume of business. The size of the crop area which is most profitable will vary with the type of farming done. And it must be remembered that the arguments in favor of large size of crop area do not conclude that all farms should be large or of one size. Men vary in their capacity to manage land. Also, some men prefer to operate a small farm at less profit, than a large farm at more profit.

Of course, everyone knows that the drop area of a farm might be increased to the point where it would be no longer profitable. From data collected by the College of Agriculture it is apparent that the farms having large crop areas have a better opportunity to utilize labor profitably. Many of the same operations are required in preparing for plants, tilling and harvesting a small area as for a larger area. Also, the small area often requires more turns in working the fields in proportion to the larger area. Then, the machinery requirements are usually higher per acre on the smaller area. All these items enter into a higher cost of producing crops. To a certain extent, therefore, the advantages are with a large crop area.

Another Big Corn Yield

Another farmer has qualified for membership in the 100-bushel Corn Club of Ohio. He is E. L. Johnson, age 22, of Painesville. He raised an average of 100.65 bushels per acre of shelled corn on 10 acres the past summer, when reduced to a moisture content of 20 per cent. A large number of farmers each year are said to raise over 100 bushels of corn to the acre, but when reduced to a uniform moisture content the apparent yield is generally greatly decreased.

In the contest conducted by the

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Announces that on and after this date, in compliance with the resolution of the Board of Directors, everything sold at our elevator will be for cash and that beginning January 10th all present open accounts on the books unsettled at that time will be subjected to an interest charge of 6 per cent.

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Ohio State University College of Agriculture, but three men this year have produced 100 bushels under these conditions. The other two men are Arthur Simmonds of Clarks, Hamilton County, who raised an average of 102.64 bushels and E. J. Riggs of Gallipolis, who raised an average of 101.14 bushels.

These men will each receive a gold medal for their achievement, during Farmers' Week at Columbus, to be held from January 28 to February 1.

Put Leaser Acres to Work

A farm, of large size with irregular outline, or the one badly cut up by ditches or needless fencing, is operating under a handicap. The increase ease of working, and the reduction of the cost of working would justify much labor and expense on many farms in the rearrangement of fields and in clearing away obstructions. Drainage of land is in many cases the most profitable and desirable method of enlarging crop acreage.

the sympathy and support of Russia might permanently have been enlisted on the side of the Allies. The paper asserts also that President Wilson agrees with Lord Lansdowne's much discussed statement that the Allies have no desire to deny to Germany her place among the great commercial communities of the world.

"We find," said the Economist, "that well informed opinion in the city is very strong on this point—that it would be very difficult if not impossible, to impose an economic boycott on Germany in time of peace. Such threats have the unfortunate effect of stimulating the war interest of the commercial classes in Germany when their instincts and interests impel them so strongly toward the reasonable peace that President Wilson offers."

CLINTON BOARD TO SEND MORE SELECTS

The Clinton County Local Board has received instructions to forward on Wednesday of this week, the additional 18 men forming Clinton's first quota to the national training camp at Chillicothe.

The Clinton Local Board, together with all other local boards in the state, had previously received instructions to wait until the questionnaires were all filed before certifying the 18 additional men for service.

WILSON PRAISED FOR CLEAR WORDS

(Associated Press Correspondence)

London, December 28.—President Wilson is praised by the "Economist," as "the man who can express clearly and without bombast the fine ideals which are the real war aims of the Allies." The article says that, had such a spokesman been found earlier

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and some men studiously avoid cultivating it, especially in regard to what will happen to the family when bread-winner ceases bread winning

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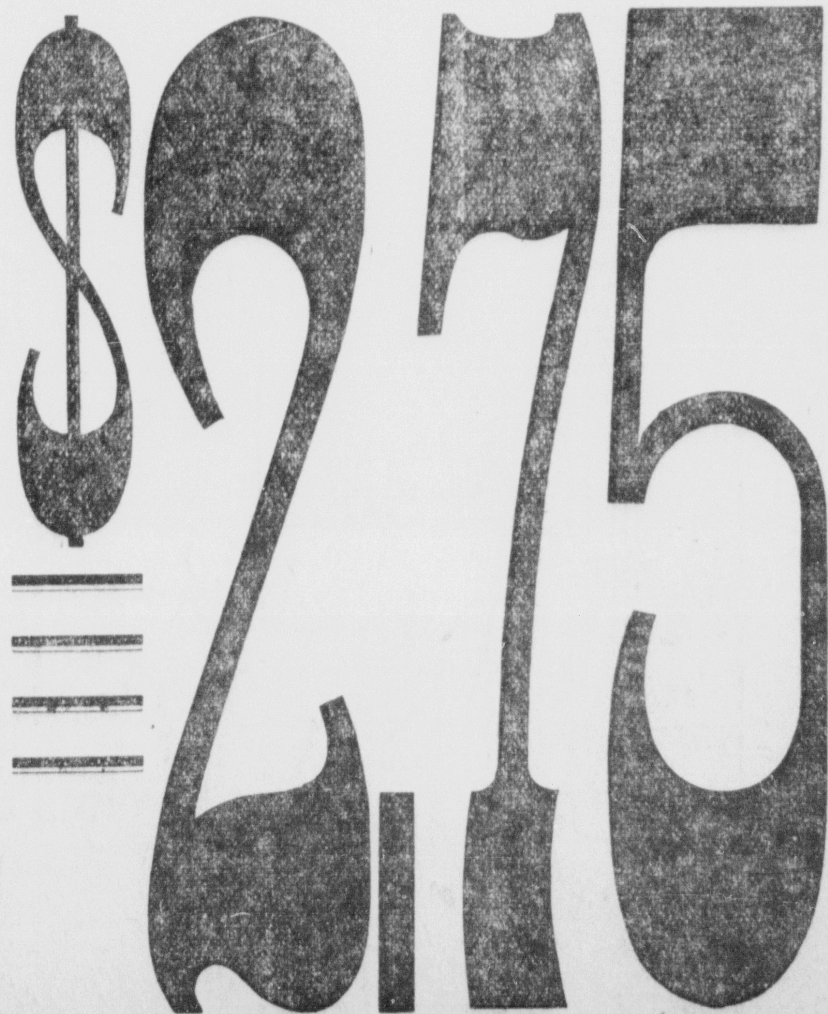
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FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, registered and immuned. Bell 89-w; Automatic 7691. 307 16

FOR SALE—1 horse and three wagons. 1 buggy, 2 sets harness; cheap. Jesse Moore, 323 Forest St. 307 16

FOR SALE—A small farm close to city, good house and barn and out buildings, several fruit trees, on good pike, would trade for a larger farm. Address Mrs. Alida Merriweather, 511 Baltimore street, Middletown, Ohio. 305 16

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WANTED—Married man to work on farm. House furnished. Good wages to right party. Ira Metzger, Austin, Citizen phone 3 and 3 on 66, Frankfort Exchange. 4 16

WANTED—White girl or woman,

for general housework. Mrs. C. C. Kropps, corner North and East streets. 1 16

Wanted—Men to husk corn. Can furnish house. Both phones. J. P. Bush. 1 16

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Bell phone 241-W. 307 16

WANTED—I take care of all the details of vault cleaning. Call Fred Howard, Automatic 3551. 298 16

MONEY LOANED—On live stock, chattels and second mortgages. Notes bought. John Harbino, Jr., Allen Building, Xenia, Ohio. 4-30-18

WANTED—To buy your old feather beds. Haynes Furniture Company. 185 16

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LOST—Coach dog, with brass collar. Liberal reward if returned to Virginia Campbell. 3 16

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE

(Revised, December 3, 1917.)

BALTIMORE & OHIO

Midland Division

GOING WEST GOING EAST

No. Cincinnati No. Columbus

31.....5:06 a. m. 32.....4:47 a. m.

33.....7:41 a. m. 34.....10:45 a. m.

35.....3:34 p. m. 36.....5:43 p. m.

37.....6:13 p. m. 38.....10:48 p. m.

Wellston Division

367.....7:50 a. m. 368.....9:00 a. m.

369.....5:50 p. m. 370.....6:20 p. m.

PENNSYLVANIA LINES

GOING WEST GOING EAST

No. Cincinnati No. Zanesville

509.....9:40 a. m. 508.....9:40 a. m.

519.....3:55 p. m. 518.....5:42 a. m.

Sunday to Cincinnati.....7:40 a. m.

Sunday to Lancaster.....8:28 p. m.

DETROIT TOLEDO & IRONTON

GOING NORTH GOING SOUTH

No. Springfield No. Greenfield

2.....7:41 a. m. 5.....9:45 a. m.

6.....3:20 p. m. 1.....6:55 p. m.

Sunday 6:55 p. m. Sunday 8:50 a. m.

Daily except Sunday.

Daily.

SOLDIERS' LETTERS

Mrs. James Hidy, of Washington R. D. No. 1 is in receipt of the following letter from her son, Sherman, of Company M, France:

"Somewhere in France, "December 15, 1917.

"Dear Mother and Sisters: "I have been neglecting to write on account of the scarcity of writing material and something to write about. You will probably say there is surely plenty to write about. Well there is if you were allowed to write about it.

"I suppose you are having some winter by this time. The weather here is pretty cool at present but haven't had any snow to amount to anything. "I got a letter from David Ferneau the other day, it was dated November 8 and I received it on the 10th of December.

"How did the election go, wet or dry? Dave said Volly Dahl was elected mayor. I saw in the Herald where Samuel Nelson had died. How is Uncle Joe getting along and Lou-ners? I suppose they think I have forgotten them entirely.

"I told you in the last letter to send me some cigarettes, but you need not send any more unless you want to, as we are able to get some now. Only a few to each man, but guess we can get along all right.

"We got paid a few days ago; got all our money in French money. Some job to count it until you get used to and learn it. I have got only one letter from you since we landed here, have two from Dave Ferneau.

"I am sending two books of stamps which I brought from the States. We do not have to pay any postage so I do not need them.

"Well it is only a short time till Christmas. I have been wondering what I am going to get or whether I will get anything. Suppose I will be lucky if I get anything at all.

"Well this is about all for this time. Hoping you have a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

"Bye Bye till next time. SHERMAN.

WOULD SPEED UP RELEASING OF CARS

(By American Press)

Washington, Jan. 7.—To promote more prompt unloading of freight cars, Director General McAdoo established new railroad demurrage rules for domestic traffic, effective Jan. 21, continuing the present two days' free time, but providing for increases ranging from 50 to 100 per cent in charges thereafter.

SHERMAN SOLDIERS BATTLE WITH WEATHER WADE IN THE SLUSH

(By American Press)

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The new demurrage rates, approved by the interstate commerce commission on request of the director general, are 3 per car for the first day, after two free days; \$4 for the second day, and \$1 additional for each succeeding day until the charge per day reaches \$10. The maximum then will be charged for every day or fraction thereafter.

JOHN MCCLAIN

Private Soldier of Dayton, O., Decorated by France.



Private McClain, a member of the American expeditionary force in France, saved 50 persons when an enemy aviator dropped a bomb in the village in which he was billeted. McClain quickly picked up the bomb and running to a nearby river threw it far out from shore. The projectile exploded as it hit the water.

TO NAME COMMITTEE FOR THE OHIO CITIES FIXING MILK PRICE

(By American Press)

Columbus, Jan. 7.—Plans to determine the maximum milk prices for Ohio will be set in operation this week, State Food Administrator Croton announced that Judge W. H. Lamb of federal administration will be in Cleveland Wednesday for a conference with Dr. R. H. Bishop, health commissioner, who also is on the county food administration there. Dr. Bishop has been designated as Croton's representative in determining milk prices. It is expected regional committees, composed of producers, distributors, consumers, milk experts and the public-at-large, will be appointed for various Ohio cities.

These committees are empowered to determine, after hearing, reasonable prices to be paid by purchasers to producers and by consumers to distributors, such prices to be based upon the cost of production and distribution, plus reasonable profits in each case.

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The Ohio War Board

Says Today

Spread butter thin! We have a war to win. Butter served when it is cold and hard is apt to be wasted. Such butter is not only hard to spread, but it lacks flavor. A mechanical butter server used by some of the larger hotels is said to effect 30 per cent economies in butter consumption by eliminating broken pieces and delivering butter to the table soft enough to spread readily, so that guests use less. Some restaurants serve bread already buttered.

Some war bread must be "greased" to make it go down, and a saving in bread may be effected by serving the butter moist. Housewives and those who are expected to stand guard over the food supplies of the homes should keep an eye on the butter plate to see that none is wasted.

KAISER WILL NOT TRUST OWN MEN WHILE ON A TOUR

(Associated Press Correspondence)

London, December 29.—So closely is the German Emperor guarded when he travels by rail through Belgium that his movements are kept from the railroad officials handling his train up to the last possible moment, according to a correspondent of the Chronicle, who has several times witnessed the Emperor's arrival.

"Whenever the passage of the Imperial train is to take place the fact is not known to the chief railway official until the same day, and to his subordinates not until a quarter of an hour before the arrival," the correspondent says. "In the station the lines are all kept free."

Describing one such arrival of the Emperor's train the correspondent says: "All workmen, on this occasion, whether Belgian or German, were dispatched outside, and access to the station was forbidden. This applied to all passengers as well. The military guards occupying parts of the station and environs were ordered to leave their posts and pile their arms. The only persons allowed on the platform were the stationmaster, his employees appointed to work the signals, and the military chief. There was no guard of honor, no manifestation whatever."

"The clearing of the station takes place at every station through which the train passes, which it does at the maximum regulation speed. At Brussels de launcheon took place opposite the Palace Royal, which is a military post since the occupation."

"The space in front of the station, which is always forbidden ground to passengers, was occupied by several motor cars. As soon as the Emperor entered his car the small fleet ran swiftly to the Parc Rue Royale, where the Kaiser stayed several hours."

"During the presence of the Kaiser the officials always displayed the utmost nervousness in fear of anything taking place, and they always breathe a sigh of relief when their master is gone. The fact that even the military are obliged to retire and pile their arms seems to suggest a distrust of his own army."

WAS FEELING ALL RUN DOWN.

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PORTER MAKES CLAIM MOST EXTRAORDINARY

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 7.—Just how a porter who sent in his questionnaire to Local Board No. 3 figures he belongs to the legislative, judicial and executive branch of the United States government is puzzling Colonel William Zimmerman, chairman and Joseph A. Clark, secretary of the board.

The porter is employed in a big factory, and he writes that he is best fitted for porter work. The officials suspect that the porter may have mistaken his rating in the various offices swept out by him carrying designations on their doors such as "Legislative," "Executive" or "Administrative," as is the rule in some big factories.

MEAT BRINGS COOL \$5.80 PER POUND

Hogs sold as high as \$5.80 a pound, butter at \$7 a pound, a sweater brought \$75 and a pumpkin \$68; carnations were sold at \$1 each and milk at more than \$1 a gallon, at the farmers' "over the top" auction sale at South Charleston, Friday. As a result of the high prices the Red Cross and the Army Y. M. C. A. will divide \$3,500.

Thousands attended the sale, which was conducted by Colonel J. L. Mead and George Wallace, Colonel L. C. Titus and Howard Titus.

Governor James M. Cox auctioned a hog and a sweater, the pair bringing \$280. Colonel Titus introduced the chief executive.

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